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So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

### □ 1615

REQUEST TO CONSIDER H.R. 962 BORN-ALIVE ABORTION SUR-VIVORS PROTECTION ACT

Mr. CLOUD. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on the Judiciary be discharged from further consideration of H.R. 962, the Born-Alive Abortion Survivors Protection Act, and ask for its immediate consideration in the House.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under guidelines consistently issued by successive Speakers, as recorded in section 956 of the House Rules and Manual, the Chair is constrained not to entertain the request unless it has been cleared by the bipartisan floor and committee leaderships.

Mr. CLOUD. Mr. Speaker, if this unanimous consent cannot be entertained, I urge the Speaker and the majority leader to immediately schedule the Born-Alive bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman has not been recognized for debate.

REPORT ON H.R. 2745, MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AND VETERANS AFFAIRS AND RELATED AGEN-CIES APPROPRIATIONS BILL. 2020

Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, from the Committee on Appropriations, submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 116-63) on the bill (H.R. 2745) making appropriations for military construction, the Department of Veterans Affairs, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2020, and for other purposes, which was referred to the Union Calendar and ordered to be printed.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 1, rule XXI, all points of order are reserved on the bill.

### EXPAND HEALTHCARE ACCESS

(Mr. PAYNE asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks)

Mr. PAYNE. Madam Speaker, the contrast between Republicans and Democrats on the issue of healthcare could not be any clearer.

Why do Republicans in the Trump administration want to make Americans sick again?

They want to eliminate protections for people with preexisting conditions. They want to take us backward.

Democrats, on the other hand, want to make America healthy.

We want to expand healthcare access. We want to strengthen the Affordable Care Act, and we want to make sure that people with preexisting conditions are not denied insurance coverage.

Madam Speaker, more than 200,000 people in New Jersey who purchased their insurance through the Affordable Care Act marketplace have preexisting conditions. That is why H.R. 986, the Protecting Americans with Preexisting Conditions Act, is so important.

It would block the Trump administration's efforts to weaken the Affordable Care Act's protections for pre-existing conditions, because there is no going back to healthcare discrimination.

### NATIONAL POLICE WEEK 2019

(Mr. CARTER of Georgia asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. CARTER of Georgia. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize this week, May 12 through 18, as National Police Week 2019.

It is a privilege to take time this week to remember and honor our Federal, State, and local law enforcement officers who courageously defend American citizens and protect our communities.

They selflessly put their lives on the line to ensure that this Nation is one of safety and order.

Just this past week, in the First Congressional District of Georgia, this reality hit home when Sergeant Kelvin Ansari passed away in the line of duty while investigating a robbery.

Overall last year, 158 police officers died in the line of duty across the country.

As tens of thousands of police officers gather this week in Washington, D.C., and other cities throughout America, I hope that everyone will take some time to thank these individuals who work to keep us all safe.

To all of our police officers, thank you for your service to our communities. God bless you.

# TRUMP ADMINISTRATION AND UKRAINE

(Ms. KAPTUR asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Ms. KAPTUR. Madam Speaker, how does one define a traitor?

According to Merriam Webster, a traitor is one who betrays another's trust or is false to an obligation or duty.

How does one define a traitor to a Nation?

By this definition, the Trump administration and some of its minions have some explaining to do. While snubbing—and even offending—key U.S. allies, the President and several of his crew have cozied up with Russia time after time.

This certainly doesn't strike me as dutiful.

Well, look at Paul Manafort, his campaign manager, or Michael Flynn, who have chosen to serve their Nation now in Federal prison because of violating the trust of the American people.

This blatant disregard of duty has reached new lows. President Trump's personal lawyer, Rudy Giuliani, recently announced a visit to Ukraine to chase conspiracy theories.

This is a dangerous time for Ukraine. Following a historic election, the Nation is now undergoing a transition of power in the face of Russian invasion.

The House of Representatives is watching. The American people are watching. Pay attention to traitors.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Ms. TLAIB). Members are reminded to refrain from engaging in personalities toward the President.

# REBUILDING OUR NATION'S CRUMBLING INFRASTRUCTURE

(Mr. SPANO asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. SPANO. Madam Speaker, I rise today in honor of Infrastructure Week, a week to highlight the importance and necessity of rebuilding our country's crumbling infrastructure, thus investing in our own future.

The American Society of Civil Engineers gives U.S. infrastructure a "D plus" with over 56,000 bridges considered structurally deficient, major airports unable to keep up with the demand and outdated water pipelines experiencing an estimated 240,000 water main breaks annually.

In fact, my own district in Central Florida, one of the fastest growing in America, is crisscrossed by Interstate 4, which has been deemed one of the most dangerous highways in the entire Nation.

The need to invest in highway improvements, auxiliary roads, public